



COMPANY OFFICER TRAINING TRACKS

Massachusetts Firefighting Academy is dedicated and committed to training fire officers and future fire service leaders. New training opportunities combined with student feedback and evaluations, have allowed the Fire Officer Program Group to re-design current courses to support our future leaders along a consistent professional development training track.

The training tracks offer students a logical progression of professional development courses to succeed as an Officer. The courses, consisting of self-guided online learning, didactic classroom, simulation, practical and seminar, will allow students a more tailored learning experience and dynamic training environment.

Registration Begins: July 7, 2015

Notes:

These courses are "Priority Selection" courses which is not first come, first serve.

Company Officer I

This course is for officers at the supervisory level interested in learning how to effectively manage emergency scene operations, supervise personnel, and communicate with the public. Officers learn about initial scene "size-up" factors that help to determine which actions to do first and how to deploy their manpower and equipment when they first arrive. Students practice their command and leadership skills in exercises conducted in the SIM Trailer in the third module; Company Officer Strategy and Tactics.

This course consists of: Module 1, thirty-two (32) hours of self-guided online learning required to be completed prior to the classroom module; and Module 2, twenty-eight (28) hours of instructor-led classroom training. There will be graded assignments online.

The Company Officer I course meets or exceeds the job performance requirements in the NFPA Standard 1021 Fire Officer Professional Qualifications for Fire Officer I. This course, although not required, will prepare the attendee for the Fire Officer I certification exam.

Company Officer II

This course is for officers at the supervisory/managerial level interested in building on the emergency scene operations and supervision skills learned in Fire Officer I or Company Officer I by expanding into coaching and evaluating employees, budgeting, origin and cause determination, multiple alarm operations and safety investigations.

This course consists of: Module 1, thirty-two (32) hours of self-guided online learning required to be completed prior to the classroom module; and Module 2, twenty-eight (28) hours of instructor-led classroom training. There will be graded assignments online.

The Company Officer II course meets or exceeds the job performance requirements in the NFPA Standard 1021 Fire Officer Professional Qualifications for Fire Officer II. This course, although not required, will prepare the attendee for the Fire Officer II certification exam.

Prerequisite: Students must be trained or certified to the level of Fire Officer I set forth by NFPA 1021.

Registration

Register **online** at [List of Current MFA Courses](#) To register by mail or fax, please complete a standard [DFS/MFA student application](#) and mail to: Registrar, Massachusetts Firefighting Academy, P.O. Box 1025, State Road, Stow, MA 01775 or fax it to: (978) 567-3229.



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Massachusetts Firefighting Academy

<i>Company Officer I</i> Course Code: 200-005-CO1-2015-FA-A Dates: September 9, 16, 23, 30, 2015 Priority Selection: August 3, 2015	Time: 0800-1600 Location: Massachusetts Firefighting Academy One State Road, Stow, MA MFA – Room 127
<i>Company Officer I</i> Course Code: 200-005-CO1-2015-FA-B Dates: November 3, 10, 17, 24, 2015 Priority Selection: October 5, 2015	Time: 0800-1600 Location: Massachusetts Firefighting Academy One State Road, Stow, MA MFA – Room 127
<i>Company Officer I</i> Course Code: 200-005-CO1-2015-FA-C Dates: October 1, 8, 15, 22, 2015 Priority Selection: September 3, 2015	Time: 0800-1600 Location: Bourne Fire Department 51 Meeting House Road, Bourne, MA Station 3
<i>Company Officer II</i> Course Code: 200-005-CO2-2015-FA-A Date: September 4, 11, 18, 25, 2015 Priority Selection: August 3, 2015	Time: 0800-1600 Location: Massachusetts Firefighting Academy One State Road, Stow, MA MFA – Room 125
<i>Company Officer II</i> Course Code: 200-005-CO2-2015-FA-B Date: October 30, November 6, 13, 20, 2015 Priority Selection: September 30, 2015	Time: 0800-1600 Location: Massachusetts Firefighting Academy One State Road, Stow, MA MFA – Room 125
<i>Company Officer II</i> Course Code: 200-005-CO2-2015-FA-C Date: November 2, 9, 16, 23, 2015 Priority Selection: October 5, 2015	Time: 0800-1600 Location: Bourne Fire Department 51 Meeting House Road, Bourne, MA Station 3

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